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CONROY—Reported missing December 9, 1915, officially reported died of wounds in Bulgaria, Joseph Conroy, R. Dublin Fusiliers, second son of the late Richard Conroy, Maryborough.

BIRTHS.

BURKE—July 6, 1918, at 41 Garden Walk, Inchicore, to Lieutenant (Royal Air Force) and Edward Burke, a daughter.
CODDINGTON—July 6, 1918, at Oldbridge, Drogheda, to Lieut.-Colonel A. F. Coddington, D.S.O., and a son.
FISH—July 7, 1918, at Calcutta, to Mr. and A. John Barr Fish, the gift of a son (By cable).
HANNA—July 5, 1918, at Hannaville Park, Comber, the wife of John Hanna, of a son.
MACDERMOT—July 8, 1918, at Dunsinea House, Lucan, the wife of H. MacDermot, K.C., of a daughter.
PATTISON—July 6, 1918, at Inver, Portarlington, the wife of J. P. Pattison, National Bank, of a daughter.
PEART—July 7, 1918, at 58 Upper Leeson st., the wife of John R. Peart, Esq., of a son.

MARRIAGES.

BURN and LA NAUZE—June 26, 1918, by special licence, at Gloucester Parish Church, by the Rev. Prebendary Captain John Southerden Burn, M.C., of Tudor House, Richmond, Surrey, to Margaret Josephine, youngest daughter of the late Thomas Percy Nauze, and Mrs. G. Scott-Mansfield, of Holly-brook, Co. Wexford.
CHERRY and della ROCCA—June 22, 1918, at Ismailia, Egypt, Major Arthur Hugh Maxwell Cherry, R.G.A., third surviving son of the late Lieut.-Surgeon-General Wm. Cherry, of Creywell, Roscommon, to Winifred, la della Rocca, of Ismailia.
KINKEAD and DUKE—July 3, 1918, at First Presbyterian Church, by the Rev. W. H. Sproule, assisted by Rev. R. G. M'Farland, B.A., James H. Kinkead, second son of the late James Kinkead, Youghal, to Martha Alice, elder daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Duke, and of Mrs. Logan, Ashgrove, Belfast.
LOWE and McCULLAGH—July 5, 1918, at First Parish Church, by the Rev. John Magill, assisted by the Rev. Canon Sheridan, Rector of Rathfarnham, Lieut. Robert Lowe, R.A.M.C., youngest son of the late Rev. John Connell, M.A., Rector of Parish, Co. Meath, to Mary Lee, B.A.M.C., youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. Samuel Lowe, Hazeldene, Howth, to Helen Stuart, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. M'Cullagh, Ben Madigan, Clontarf.
SELFE and TULLY—June 25, 1918, at St. Patrick's Cathedral, Dublin, by Rev. J. L. Mahaffy, D.D., Dean's Vicar, Edwin A. W. Selfe, elder son of the late Edwin S. M. Selfe, to Florence Elizabeth, only daughter of George Tully, of this city.

DEATHS.

BAILEY—July 5, 1918, at 87 Lower Baggot st., Frances Isabella, eldest surviving daughter of the late Thomas Andrew Bailey, of Polerbridge, Dundalk, Queen's County. Funeral (private) to-morrow (Thursday) morning at 9 o'clock.
CLOTHIER—At her residence, 2 St. George's Terrace, Victoria, Waterford, peacefully, dearly-loved daughter of Joseph and Maria Clothier, aged 2 years. Safe in the arms of Jesus. Funeral from above address for Mount Jerome, 10.30 to-morrow (Thursday) morning, 11th inst.
COLE—July 9, 1918, at Ballintobin, Stradbally, Queen's Co., Thomas Cole, beloved husband of the late Mary Cole. Funeral, at 5 o'clock, to-morrow (Thursday).
CONROY—July 7, 1918, in Dublin hospital, of wounds received in action, Joseph, son of the late Richard Conroy, Maryborough, Queen's Co. R.I.P. Mass (private), from St. Teresa's, Carmelite st., to-morrow (Thursday) morning, 9 o'clock.
CONSTABLE—July 6, 1918, in a Nursing Home, Ballybay, Monaghan, Margaret Constable, of 25 Mount rd., West Green, London, and Ballyglasteen House, Clonmel, Tipperary, youngest son of the late Rev. John Nicholson Constable, Rector of Ardfinnan, Co. Mayo, aged 62. Funeral (from Kilbride Rectory, where he died) to Kilbride Church (Thursday), July 11th, to Kilbride Cemetery.
DOLAN—July 8, 1918, at Stagecreagh, Drogheda, Thomas Dolan, dearly-loved son of Mary Dolan, formerly of Hazel Wood, Swords, and widow of the late James Dolan, Hazel Mount rd., Drumcondra, in her 72nd year. Deeply-loved and deeply mourned. R.I.P. Strictly private.
DUBS—July 8, 1918, at 65 Cork st., after a long illness, Mary Lenorson Grubb. Thy will be done. Funeral to Dean's Grange (Wednesday) at 12.45.
HUGHES—July 8, 1918, Bernard Edward, only son of Edward Hughes, C.E., and Mrs. Hughes, Ballygarvey, Derryvolgie, Belfast. R.I.P. Funeral private.
JONES—July 8, 1918, at Mullinahire, Waterford, Mary Ann, eldest surviving daughter of the late Thomas Jones, and sister of Dr. Mullinahire. Funeral to leave at 12 noon to-morrow (Thursday) for Lismore. Burial at Kilwatermoy, Dungarvan.
LANE—July 8, 1918, at his residence at Curragheen, William Gaven Lane, of Sans Souci, Cork. R.I.P.
McANN—July 8, 1918, at her husband's residence, Bellevue, Donnybrook, Mary, dearly-beloved wife of Martin McAnn, late Connaught Rangers, deeply regretted by her sorrowing husband, children, relatives, and many friends. R.I.P. Funeral from above to-morrow (Thursday) at 9.30. Kindly request that latter, American papers please copy.
NOBLE—July 8, 1918, at Knighton, 114 Braunstone gate, Leicester, David William Noble, M.D., Brigade-Surgeon, late R.A.M.C., aged 74 years.
O'CONNOR—July 8, 1918, at Dublin, Agnes Jane, eldest daughter of the late Thomas Riggs, Esq., Ballyhaise, Co. Cavan, aged 67 years. (With Christ, which is far better. Funeral to-day (Wednesday).
O'DOWD—July 8, 1918, at her father's residence, 7 Lower Drumcondra rd., Florrie, elder daughter of the late Patrick O'Dowd. Funeral to Glasnevin, at 10.30 a.m., to-morrow (Thursday).
O'NEILL—July 8, 1918, suddenly, at 110 Donore av., R.I.P. Funeral to Glasnevin, 4.14, Dublin. Christopher O'Neill, Arklow. Funeral private. No flowers.
PATTON—July 6, 1918, at her residence, Raheen, Jeanie, youngest daughter of the late Andrew Patton. Funeral private.

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WANTED, Lady Shorthand Writer and Typist; must be good at figures; £2 10s.—Apply, by letter, to Secretary, Coffee, Apply, stating experience and salary expected, to Z 560, this office.
WANTED, good Trade Invoice Typist; Saorstat; must be accustomed to typing invoices; £2 10s.—Apply, stating experience where engaged, age, if married, when disengaged, preference given to one accustomed to the Irish trade.—Z 545, Mass, this office.
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EMPLOYMENT WANTED.

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PUBLIC NOTICES.
REPORT OF THE DIRECTORS OF THE
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TO BE PRESENTED AT THE SIXTY-FIFTH ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING OF THE SHAREHOLDERS, To be Held at 64 Dame Street, Dublin, On SATURDAY, the Twentieth Day of JULY, 1918.
The Directors herewith submit to the Shareholders a statement of the Bank's affairs for the Half-year ended 30th June, 1918, with a copy of the Auditors' Report on the Accounts and Balance Sheet.
The Profits of the Bank, after deducting Expenses, Interest on Deposits, Income Tax in Ireland, Rebate on Bills, and making full provision for Bad and Doubtful Debts, amount to £43,281 11 9
To which has to be added the balance brought forward from last account 18,146 19 0
Making a total of £61,428 10 9
It is proposed:—
To pay a Dividend for the Half-year at the rate of 6 per cent. per annum, less Income Tax at 5s. 6d. in the £ £17,000 0 0
To transfer to Reserve Fund £12,525 0 0
To apply in reduction of Premises Account 25,000 0 0
And, to carry to next account 5,000 0 0
19,903 10 9
£61,428 10 9
All the Bank's Investments have been written down to the present value of the Bank Rate (see explanation at Note 2 of Balance Sheet), and the Profit and Loss Account carried forward is £5,000.
By Order of the Board, Kildare.
T. B. LILLIS, General Manager.
BALANCE SHEET 30th JUNE, 1918.
LIABILITIES.
Capital— £ s. d.
100,000 Shares of £50 each £5,000,000 0 0
£2 paid on 200,000 0 0
Reserve Fund 335,000 0 0
Deposit, Current and other Accounts, including Bank Premises Account £555,000 0 0
Bank Premises, Head Office and Branches 83,968 1 4
Profit and Loss 12,656,680 6 3
Dividend Payable 1st July, 1918 ..... £18,146 19 0
Reserve Fund 1st July, 1918 ..... 43,281 11 9
61,428 10 9
£13,255,108 17 0
ASSETS.
Cash on hand, including Bank Premises Account £1,850,000 0 0
Money at call and at short notice 1,000,000 0 0
Bills Discounted 1,600,000 0 0
War Loan and other Government Investments £3,950,558 3 1
Indian and Colonial Government Investments 1,599,980 13 11
Corporation and other Public Securities 153,800 4 1
Other Investments 347,893 16 5
Bonds Guaranteed by Government 695 0 0
Other Investments 5,102,569 14 5
Bills Discounted £9,053,127 17 6
Advances on Securities and Current Accounts 869,824 10 7
Bank Premises, Head Office and Branches 3,246,188 7 7
83,968 1 4
£13,253,108 17 0
Signed, HARRINGTON, SOMERS PAYNE, } Directors.
T. B. LILLIS, Secretary and General Manager.
AUDITORS' CERTIFICATE AND REPORT.
We have examined the above Balance Sheet, and have obtained all the information and explanations we have required, and in our opinion such Balance Sheet is properly drawn up so as to exhibit a true and correct view of the state of the Company's affairs according to the best of our information and the explanations given to us, and as shown by the books of the Company.
6th July, 1918. HASKINS, HILL and COMPANY, Auditors.

IRISH GAME PROTECTION ASSOCIATION.
The Irish Game Protection Association respectfully begs to state that the Prosecutions at Petty Sessions on 2nd July, 1918, at Ballinrobe, Co. Mayo, Ballinasloe, Co. Galway, Williamstown, Co. Galway, and Athenry, Co. Galway, under the Game Laws, have resulted in the granting of Certificates and to refuse renewal of Gun Licences to persons found guilty of Poaching Offences.
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FROM "THE TIMES" OF TO-DAY.

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"FLANDERS FEVER."

According to prisoners' statements, says the Special Correspondent of *The Times* at British Headquarters, there is no decrease in the influenza epidemic in the German Army, or "Flanders fever," as they call it. Whether it has really had the effect of impeding large operations or not, there is no doubt that individual batteries and other small units have been rendered temporarily completely useless by the sickness. It seems to be equally prevalent in the front line, in billets, at Headquarters behind the front, and in towns all over Germany. Another curious disease which, without attaching any great importance to it, is worth noticing, is the epidemic of defiance of discipline which seems to have broken out. Two orders have fallen into our hands, issued by General von der Marwitz, of the Second German Army, one dated June 7, the other June 19. The former says: "Discipline, which is the keystone of our Army, is seriously shaken. I cannot permit commanders to take upon themselves to shield by excess of indulgence officers, non-commissioned officers, or men guilty of breaches of discipline and military regulations. They must not inflict on them penalties of too mild a nature, or even not punish them at all." The second order says: "Cases of soldiers refusing to obey orders are increasing to an alarming extent." It is impossible for us to say whether the conditions really are as serious as these orders would imply, or whether it only that General Marwitz has got the "jumps," and ought to be deprived of his command, but these things read curiously.

GERMAN FOOD PRIVATIONS.

The Special Correspondent of *The Times* at The Hague telegraphs:—A speech in the Reichstag by Herr von Waldow, the German Food Minister, in which he admitted that a certain time must elapse before large grain supplies arrive from the Ukraine, and announced meatless weeks and a middling harvest, was received with considerable disquiet. His closing observation, about the submarine war, was drowned in cries of "Peace, peace," and for the 6th German sitting was interrupted by an Independent Socialist with the ejaculation, "If they don't starve." The *Vorwaerts* says that the hope that Germany would obtain a better harvest than last year's, and the severest privations this summer, has been destroyed; for, if Herr von Waldow promised compensation for the deprivation of meat in the shape of a generous ration, the value of such compensation is well known from experience to excite exaggerated hopes. Illicit trading will receive a strong stimulus from the announcement of meatless weeks. Herr Wels, in his speech in the Reichstag, declared that, with present stages, it is absolutely impossible for the workers to feed themselves properly. Unemployment is increasing in Berlin. If it continues, events, like those of January, will reasonably occur. Herr Wels concluded:—" Every day that the war lasts separates us by months from the time when the people will again have enough to eat; therefore every shortening of the war is a great economic gain than the conquest of a province."

THE DUTCH CONVOY.

We cannot say, says *The Times*, that Lord Robert Cecil's statement on the subject of the Dutch convoy warrants any essential modification of the convictions we expressed last Monday. It brings us no nearer to an understanding of the exceptional circumstances which led to the sinking of the Tubantia, he said were connected with very special international relations. In the absence of public information, the matter really becomes a question of confidence in the Government and the judgment of Mr. Balfour, if not of the Government. The whole affair gives an impression of weakness in the face of an attempt obviously imposed by the enemy to attack our maritime communications, and the impression is not weakened by the atmosphere, reminiscent of the notorious Declaration of London, that hangs round the whole business.

ENEMY ALIENS AND OTHERS.

The report of the Prime Minister's Advisory Committee, says *The Times*, on the alien problem seems to us to be as sensible as it is small in scale. Internment, the word of the proposals depends very largely upon their interpretation. It will be necessary, for instance, to define such terms as "enemy origin," and to prevent abuse of the machinery provided for discrimination between *bona fide* immigrants of long standing and the aliens who were driven to a convenient naturalisation by the outbreak of the war. There is nothing wild or extravagant about it; nothing, so far as we can see, to violate the principles of humanity and justice, or to bear hardly on anyone who has a real claim to be investigated. Our alien problem is by no means limited to enemy aliens. Neither the obvious, nor even the camouflage, German is likely, as a rule, to be the most efficient spy. We must suspect that the worst enemy against whom we suspect that the worst enemy against whom we suspect that the worst enemy against whom we

ROLL OF HONOUR

Last night's casualty lists show the following losses:—Officers—Dead, 16; wounded or missing, 46. Rank and File—Dead, 496; wounded or missing, 2,378.

KILLED.

BUTTENSHAW, Lieutenant H. H., West Yorks Regt.
COWENS, Second Lieutenant T., R.G.A., Cape Town.
ROSS, Second Lieutenant T., Royal War Regiment.
BANN, Lieutenant S., M.C., Lord Strathcona's Regt.
SANDERSON, Sec. Lt. W., Machine Gun Corps.
MACDONALD, Lt. D. C., Seaforth Highlanders.

WOUNDED.

DRUMMOND, Lt. J. R. | MUNDY, Lt. F. W.
DIXON, Sec. Lt. H.

NOW REPORTED PRISONER OF WAR.

RATCLIFFE, Sec. Lt. T.

NOW REPORTED WOUNDED AND PRISONER OF WAR.

HOLMAN, Sec. Lt. H. G.

MISSING.

ARNOLD, Sec. Lt. J. | FOSTIN, Lt. S. C. M.
BARCLAY, Lt. H. F. | ROBERTS, Lt. T.
DALTREY, Sec. Lt. F. | STUBBS, Lt. W. H.
HUTCHINSON, Lt. J. E.

NOW REPORTED BELIEVED PRISONERS OF WAR.

BOULTON, Sec. Lt. F. E. | MITCHELL, Sec. Lt. H.
HARDEY, Sec. Lt. N. R. | RAINER, Sec. Lt. G. A.
KING, Sec. Lt. C. | TINSLEY, Sec. Lt. H. R.

NOW REPORTED BELIEVED WOUNDED AND PRISONERS OF WAR.

CRAWFORD, Prov. Sec. Lt. W. J. | WILSON, Lt. H. B. B.

OTHER RANKS.

DIED OF WOUNDS.

ROYAL DUBLIN FUSILIERS—Connolly, 6086 J. [illegible]

DIED.

CONNAUGHT RANGERS—Corrigan, 6205 P. (Cork).

WOUNDED.

ROYAL IRISH REGIMENT—Cox, 6892 T. Dirr, [illegible]
ROYAL DUBLIN FUSILIERS—Bolger, 41369 W. J. (Bolton, 457 Scott Street, Newcastle); [illegible] 6340 E. Mount[illegible] 5246 P. Edgeworthstown); Dempsey, [illegible] 6145 J. Dublin); Dillon, [illegible] Dublin); Hall, [illegible] Dublin); Hall, 41653 D. (Alec, McCrittin, [illegible] 6931 J. Dublin); Hall, [illegible] 6931 J. Dublin); Hall, [illegible] 6931 J. Dublin); Hall

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PREVENTION OF CRUELTY TO ANIMALS.
At the weekly meeting of the Committee of the Dublin Society for Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, held at the secretary's office, 56 West-moreland street, Major Arthur Wemyss presided. The following were also present:—Mr. Arthur Fair-brother, J.P.; Mr. Thomas Greene, J.P.; Mr. Wm. Kane, Mrs. Bryce, Proctor's Doorother, Mr. William Perrin, Mr. J. H. Peyton, J.P., and C. E. Grahame Harvey, secretary. Ten cases of cruelty were reported during the week. Four are to be summoned, five to be cautioned, and the remainder are withdrawn or pending to report on. The officers also reported on 93 situations obtained during the week in cases already reported. The Secretary reported on dogs sold and claimed at the Dogs Home, Grand Canal quay, during the week. The injuries reported on their visits to the markets on wednesday and Thursday. The following contributions were thankfully acknowledged, viz.—Miss Pownell, 2/6 Cats account; Mrs Bradshaw, 5/-; Mrs Hardwick, 2/6.

SERVICES AND ANTHEMS.
St. Mary's Parish Church—Service of Intercession this morning at 11.30 o'clock. Preacher, Rev. J. O. Gade Dougherty.
St. Andrew's Church, Suffolk street.—Service of Intercession at 12 o'clock. Address by Rev. R. Sutherland.
The Mariners Chapel.—Solemn Intercession and Holy Communion this morning at 11 o'clock. Preacher, the Rector.
St. George's Parish Church.—Morning Prayer at 11.30 o'clock. United Intercession Service for all the parish at 8 p.m.
The Church of Christ, Scientist, Dublin (a Branch of The First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston, Mass.), 95 Merrion square.—Services—Sunday, 11.30 a.m., 7 p.m.; Sunday School, 11.30 a.m.; Wednesday evening meeting, 8 p.m. The Christian Science Reading Room, same address, is open free to the public from 1 to 6 p.m. every week-day except Saturday.
While frying in the north-eastern district of Scotland, the machines of Second Lieutenants L. M. Frederick and G. H. Grimshaw collided and crashed to the ground, both aviators being killed.

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FINANCIAL NEWS

DUBLIN STOCK EXCHANGE.

There was a quiet but satisfactory tendency for prices of leading securities on 'Change yesterday, with Textiles generally and Marconi Wireless Telegraph Shares exceptionally firm markets. War Loan 3½ p.c. Stock was good. Banks were bid for on recent enhanced dividends. Breweries, etc., were well held. Rails were occasionally higher. Trams were neglected, and Dunlops firm but idle. Bradford Dyers and English Sewing Cotton Ord. were both prominently strong in the Textiles group.

BANK OF IRELAND.
Discount ..... 5 per cent., 5th April, 1917.
Deposit ..... 2½ per cent., 5th April, 1917.

BUSINESS DONE—
3½% War Ln. (1st) 88½ (4)
5% War Ln. (1922-1) 95¼
Each of Bonds..... 100
Do. (1923-47) 99½
Do. 5% (1920)..... 101¼
5% War Bonds..... 99½
4% do. 100
3½% Irish Ld. (54-5)..... 54½
Belfast 3½% Stk. (76) 77
Dublin Corpn. (1905) 90
National Bk. (166) 169
Dub. Dist. Pt. (59) 60
Gaurnee ..... (55½) 56
Do. Pref. 114
Hammam Pref. 120
Marconi ..... (7½) 7⅝
Do. Pref. ..... (60½) 60
Do. Marine 56
Do. Canada 9½
Do. 5% Red. ..... (79) 80
Do. Pref. ..... (75) 75½
Odd lots.

(The last business done is given in parentheses.)

IRISH BANK REPORTS.

MUNSTER AND LEINSTER.
The balance sheet of the Munster and Leinster Bank for the half-year ended 30th June last, which we publish to-day, affords striking evidence of the continued prosperity of the institution and the marked development of the Bank's business during the past twelve months. The total of the deposits now amounts to £12,656,600, an increase of no less than £3,177,000 on the figures shown in the balance sheet for the corresponding half-year in 1917. Further comparison with the sheet issued a year ago discloses a very substantial increase in the bank's holding of cash and immediately convertible securities, the present total of liquid assets being £9,053,127, a figure which represents over 71 per cent. of the bank's entire liability to its clients. The satisfactory growth of the bank's customers have, as heretofore, evidently been dealt with in a generous fashion as the total of advances on overdrafts and bills is £4,116,000. The reserve fund stands at £535,000, a figure which exceeds the paid up capital by £135,000. Owing to the satisfactory earnings for the past half-year the Board are able to recommend the payment of a dividend at the rate of 17 per cent. per annum, less income tax, the addition of a further sum of £25,000 to the reserve fund, the allocation of £5,000 in reduction of bank premises account, carrying forward the enhanced balance of £19,000 to the next account. It will be noted that all the bank's investments have been written down to the prices current on 30th June, 1918.

LONDON MONEY MARKET.

Bank Rate (changed April 5th, 1917)..... 5 p.c.

General conditions in the Money Market remained distinctly easy, though funds for banking purposes were somewhat more usable than yesterday. Call loans were quoted 2½ to 3 p.c. In the Discount Market there was increased competition for short-dated paper, and two months' drafts were taken at 3½ p.c. The rate for three months remained at 3¾ to 3½ p.c. The quotation for July and August Treasury bills was unaltered, but September Treasury bills were placed at the lower rate of 3⅞ per cent. The rate for three months' bank bills was 4 to 4⅛ per cent. Bank Rate (Discount) changed April 5, 1917 ..... 5%

60 days (fine)	3⅝		
3 months ...	3¾	3⅞	Trade ... 4 4½
4 months ...	3¾	3⅞	4¼
6 months ...	3¾	3⅞	4¼
Loans to bill brokers day to day			3½
do. do. for a week			3 3½
Deposit Allowance: Banks at notice			2
do. Discount houses at call and notice			3

Spot Silver was steady, without change, at 48 4/4 per oz.

On Change, rates on France, Italy, Switzerland, Spain, and Scandinavia showed no change in their country. Dutch currency further improved in value.

LONDON STOCKS GOOD.

The Stock Exchange remains in good fettle all round. Underlying conditions during the session were healthy, and activity was again scarce in all the principal departments of the House. The tone was fine throughout, and the improvement in weekly War Loan Stock was also a bright feature, though the increase had been looked for in view of last week's big 4½p.c. dividend distribution. Gilt-edged issues opened firmly, but turned hesitating later. The best feature was the 5½ Consolidated Loan, which was again higher at 102¾. There was not much doing among Colonial Loans, but they were firm. A 15/16 to 15/8 Canada 5½ p.c. Government Loan sold at 103½. Rises—Australian Fed. 1 to 2; Falls—Colonials, ¼ to 3/4; 5 p.c. War Loan, ¼ to 3/4.

ALLIED BONDS STEADY.—In the Foreign market Allied Bonds were steady, but did not come much into prominence. There was fair enough support for Japanese Bonds, the 4½ p.c. being ever 80 again. Chinese issues were in the back ground. Russian Bonds were inclined to work lower, and were very nominal, but Greeks kept firm. Brazil issues were hardly mentioned. Among South American Bonds Argtne 5½ p.c. at 85, were a point to the good. There was no appreciable change among Brazilian Bonds, the 5s Exchange recording a further decline.

Changes—Rises—Argentine Unified, ¼ to 90¾; French Loan, ¼ to 61; Great Japan Fives, ¼ to 64; Spanish Fours, 1 to 131. Fall—Peruvian Pref., 1 to 38.

RAILS HARD.—Home Rails were hard, the scarcity of stock rendering quotations ready to respond to the lightest enquiry, while the usual impending dividend announcements keep the undertone good. The Canadian Pacific Group attracted again among Passenger descriptions. Districts were firm, as the prospects rise, and Underground Electrics met fair support, Southern Stocks also held firm. Among Scotch Stocks there was a little support from the North, but not quite sufficient to move quotations, though Caledonian issues favoured holders a little. Canadian Parties were firm and rather over 168, but Grand Trunks were resting most of the day, and continued 1-16 one or two fells, averaging about ⅛. Mexican Rails showed hesitancy. There was moderate support for Argentine Rails in the afternoon, and the group concluded with one or two advances of ¼ to ½. Brazilian Rails were dull, and United of Havana again tended downwards.

Changes—Rises—Caledonian Def., ¼ to 9½; Chatham, ¼ to 64; Great Northern Pref., ¼ to 81; do. Def., ¼ to 37½; Metropolitan, ¼ to 24½; North-Eastern, Consols, ¼ to 97½; Norths, Great Southern, ¼ to 65½; Buenos Ayres and Pacific, 1 to 90; Mexican 2nd Pref., ¼ to 22½; Falls—Grand Trunk, ¼ to 13½; do. Guar., ¼ to 53½; do. 2nd Pref., 1 to 30½; Antofagasta Pref., 1 to 103½; Central Argentine, ¼ to 69½; Mexican Rails, ¼ to 19½; United of Havana, ¼ to 77½.

INDUSTRIALS CHEERFUL.—Among Miscellaneous and Industrial securities business was on a moderately good scale, and there were several features of cheerfulness. Hudson's Bays were stimulated by the increased distribution of 40 p.c. for the year, against 30 p.c., and closed cheerfully around 7¾. Banks were strong, stimulated by recent dividend announcements, and closed with many gains of ½ to 1. Bank of Australasia, at 130, was 4 up. Marconi Ord. and Pref. did not vary, but Marine Shares rose 6d. to 55/6, and the American Shares, at 24/-, were 1/- up. Courtaulds showed to advantage among Textiles, gaining ½ at 7¾. There were scattered, mixed changes of 3d. to 6d. among Iron and Steel Shares. Projectiles fell 4. Breweries were steady. There were one or two gains of 1 to 2 among South American Tractions, but Brazilian Tractions hung fire.

Changes.—Rises—Marconi Marine, 6d. to 55/6; do. America, 1, to 24½; Armstrong, 6d. to 44/-; Courtaulds, ½ to 7¾; Furness Withy, ¼ to 34½; Royal Mail, 1 to 135¾; Mexican Light and Power Bonds, 3 to 48; Monterey Debs., ½ to 40¾. Falls—Fraser and Chalmers, 6d. to 26/-; Kynoch, ¼ to 29½; Projectiles, ⅛ to 31½; Vickers, 3d. to 48/9; Brit. Col. Elec. Rl. Pr., 1 to 61½.

MINING MARKET QUIETLY STEADY.—There was only a small volume of business among Mines, but the general tone was steady. Kaffirs conveyed some degree of cheerfulness, and were assisted by the better labour and political news from South Africa. Diamonds ruled dull, however, while Rhodesians tended forward here and there. Tin Shares reflected a rise of 40s per ton on the metal. Rand-fields and Rukuloes were good spots. Russians were quieter, but the Barrier group was firm, and Tintos were supported.

RUBBER MARKET STEADY.—The price of rubber was unchanged at 2/2½ per lb. The volume of business in the markets was not large, but there were plenty of inquiries from buyers, and in a good many cases shares were unobtainable at the current quotations. Anglo-Dutch were higher at 23/4. Bukit Sembawang again displayed firmness, with buyers up to 5/8. Bernam Peras Ord. and Pref. were wanted at 55/-, but sellers did not come forward. A good many transactions took place in Bastong around 9/6. Carey United marked up to 36/-, and Central Travancore Ord. were done at 21/- cd. Dennis Malacca received inquiries at 35/6 and 53/9, and General Ceylon Ord. were done at 53/6. Loch Kenneth were 5/- bid, and Jugra Estate were better, with buyers at 11/3. Lanaka Rubber obtained bids at 51/3, Meruan at 5/-, and 5/11, and Merlimau at 55, while Mooply Valley were taken at 37/6. Straits Bertam kept in demand, with buyers at 6/3, and Sungei Buloh were done at 90/-. Vallambrosa were wanted at 20/7½. In the Borneo section, Kapor were firmer at 19/9 bid, and Sapong were done at 23/7½.

OIL SHARES GOOD.—Oil Shares were generally firm. Shells rose ½ to 7¾, and Anglo-Egyptian B. Shares, after opening with heaviness on the absence of a dividend, rebounded vigorously, influenced by the good general showing made by the report. Venezolanas were firm at 44/3.

Changes.—Anglo-Egypt B., 44/-, +2/3d; Burmah, 84, —; Kern River, 13/3, +1/-; Lobitos, 43/3, —1/9; Mexican Eagle, 65/-, +6/-; Rum, Consol., 9 3/4, —1/-; Shell, 142/10d, —7/-; Ural Caspian, 18/7½, +3/-.

CLOSING PRICES.

BANKS.

Agricul. Egypt.	3⅝	4¼	
Anglo-Egypt.	17¾	18	
A.-South Amer.	9¾	9¾	¼
Bank Ausia.	129	31	+4
Bank N.S.W.	33½	34	+½
Barclay "A"	77½		
Brazil Ld.	16¼	16½	
Brit. Linen	46	47	
Brit. N. Am.	19	19½	
Brit. S. Afr.	7½	8	
Canada	190	191	+1
Chartered	14½	15	
Colonial	13½	14	
Commercial	11	12	
Cox & Co.	11	12	
Egyptian	21	64	½
Hong Kong	39	39½	+1
Lloyd's	23½	24¼	¼
Lond. Brazilian	26¼	27¼	¼
Lond. Co. Prov.	36½	37½	
Lon. City & Mid.	37½	38¼	
Lon. Westmr.	35½	36¼	¼
Lon. Joint St.	29½	30½	
Nat. Prov.	20¼	21	¼
Standard Africa	11¾		
Rio Tinto	68	68½	
Springs	3½	4	
Tanganyika	2	2¼	
Transvaal	3	3¼	
Union of	3	3¼	
Van Ryn	3¼	3¾	
Witwatersrand	7/6	8/-	
Wankie Ld.	3/9	4/-	
Zinc Corp.	2⅜	2½	
Do. Pref.	6⅜	6½	

RUBBER SHARES.

Anglo-Dutch	2 9/4	3	+4d
Anglo-Straits	4	4	+2d
Anglo-Malay	12	6	+6d
Bukit Mertajam	4	5	+6d
Highlands	1	9	-1d
Linggi	2	4	+3d
Sungei	6	9	
Sarawak	1	1	
Nordanal	20	10	+1d
Rubber Trust	2	4	5
Sapong	23	25	
Sialang	4	4	+1/4d
Tembaling	4	5	+6d
Un. Serdang	10	4	+6d
Un. Sua Betong	5	5	+1d
Un. Temiang	3	9	+4d
Vallambrosa	1	1	+9d

MINING SHARES.

Bin. Hill	1	1	
De Beers	14	14	+¼
Jagersfontein	1	1	+¼
Eastern Pacific	8		
East Pool	29	30	
Ecuador	22	6	+6d
Geldy Rei	5	6	+6d
Modder	24	6	+¼
Spassky	1	1	

INSURANCE SHARES.

Alliance	10	9	
Atlas	10	8	
Caledonian	3	5	
Law Union and Rock	6	6	½
Phœnix	8	8	½
Royal	33	8	½
Sun	12	6	
World Marine	6	4	
Yorkshire	17	6	

COMPANY RESULT.

Yam Seng Rubber Company, Ltd.—The amount of dividend recorded to the Yam Seng Company during the month of June was 18,400 lbs. Approximately 1,000 lbs. were sold, and the total output was 36,852 lbs. The total amount for eight months was 214,115 lbs., approximately, as compared with 277,887 lbs. for the same period last year.

DIVIDENDS AND REPORTS.

REAL ESTATE CORPORATION OF SOUTH AFRICA.—Final dividend of 4 per cent., less tax, making 6 per cent. for the year, payable 31st inst.

UNION CORPORATION.—Final dividend of 5s. per share, £2 10s. paid up, less tax on capital employed.

LONDON PROVINCIAL AND SOUTH-WESTERN BANK.—Interim dividend at the rate of 19 per cent. per annum, less tax, same as in July, last.

LONDON COUNTY, WESTMINSTER, AND PARR'S BANK.—An interim dividend of 10 per cent. per annum, for the half-year ending June 30th, is declared. Last year the dividend was 9 per cent.

FOREIGN AND COLONIAL INVESTMENT TRUST.—Interim dividends for the half-year ended July 10th at the rate of 5 per cent. per annum on both Pref. and Def. Stock.

NATIONAL PROVINCIAL AND UNION BANK OF ENGLAND.—Interim dividend, at the rate of 16 per cent. per annum declared, less tax, same as Last year.

LANCASHIRE AND YORKSHIRE BANK.—Interim dividend for half-year of 12½ per cent. per share, subject to reduction of income tax. The same rate of dividend was paid last year.

HUDSON'S BAY.—The directors and committee of the Hudson's Bay Company announce that the Labrador auxiliary of Canadian Red Cross received a further distribution of 25 per cent. and a bonus of 5 per cent. on the Outfitters' Shares, making with the interim dividend of 10 per cent. paid in January, a total distribution for the year ended 31st May, 1918, of 40 per cent. The above distribution 30 per cent. is in respect of the profits of trade, and 10 per cent. in respect of the profits of the land department and 15 per cent. in respect of the profits of trade.

PROVINCIAL EXCHANGES.

BELFAST.—BUSINESS DONE.—War Loan, 5%, Northern Banking, 4; Agricultural, 6; Australasia, 60; London County and Westminster, 16; John Milligan and Co., 4½; Belfast Ropework, 65; Imperial Tobacco Co., 19/7½; Brunner, Mond, and Co., 50/-; Wade, 5; Ewart and Sons' Pref., 16/4½; do. Ord., 27/-; Mexican Eagles, 62/10½; Pref., 64/6; Bradford Dyers, 39/10½; J. and P. Coats, 66.

BIRMINGHAM.—Market steady. Beleze, 52/3; Brunner, Mond, 37/-; Rumping, 63/-; Chiddi, 23/-; Calsburg, 64/-; Components, 25/-; Coventry Chain, 36/-; Darlaston, 15/6; Dorman, Long, 51/6; Humber, 24/7½; do. Pref., 16/-; Hudson, 50/-; Premier, 11/-; Rio's Rosco, 14/-; Rovers, 17/3; Rudge Whitworth, 45/-; Siddeley Standard, 75/-; Star, 21/3; Sunbeams, 75/-; Swift, 9/6; Triumphs, 46/10½; Wolseley, 14/-; Wrights, 13/-.

MANCHESTER.—The time throughout Textiles was strong. Cloths advanced 1/2d. and Dyers and Cottons 1d. Closing prices:—Bleachers, 20/-; do. Pref., 19/3 to 19/9; Bradford Dyers, 39/9 to 40/-; Calico Printers, 16/6 to 16/9; do. Pref., 16/6 to 16/9; Coats, 66/-; do. Pref., 64/6; Fine Cottons, 15/9 to 15/10; Lancashire Cotton, 15/6; Lancashire Fine Spinners, 15/6; Lancashire Manufacturing, 15/6; Lancashire Spinning, 15/6; Lancashire Tube, 15/6; Lancashire Tube Pref., 15/6; Lancashire Tube Pref., 15/6; Lancashire Tube Pref.,